



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Sam E. KINNEY, Jr. et al.)

Examiner: Kyle, Charles R.

Application No.: 09/282,156)

Group No.: 3624

Filed: March 31, 1999)

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR)
CONDUCTING ELECTRONIC)
AUCTIONS WITH NET PRESENT)
VALUE BIDDING)#24/D
12/8/02

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following Amendment is respectfully submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed on September 11, 2002. A Request for Continued Examination and the appropriate fee are submitted herewith and form a part hereof. Kindly amend the above-identified Application as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. § 1.8)

I hereby certify that this paper, and the papers and/or fees referred to herein as transmitted, submitted or enclosed, are being deposited on the date shown below with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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